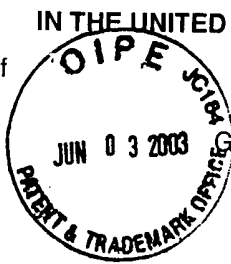


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Sir:

AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated March 3, 2003, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 5-6, 17-18, 23-25 and 31.

Please substitute the following amended claim(s) for corresponding claim(s)
previously presented. A copy of the amended claim(s) showing current revisions is
attached.

1. (Amended) A method of making a thermally insulating glass panel, the method
comprising:

depositing a first portion of edge seal material on first and second glass